

OPPOSITION DEVELOPS TO COMPULSORY MILITARY DRILL

A mass meeting was held last night at the Ogden high school for the purpose of determining whether the parents of the students desired to have compulsory military drilling instituted there. There were about 125 persons present and of these it was shown by a standing count, that only 22 were parents of students affected. A number of speeches, pro and con, were made and, after more than an hour of discussion, the meeting was adjourned without any action having been taken.

The meeting was opened by Principal Beeson of the high school, who stated the reason for its having been called and briefly said that he favored compulsory military drill. He then introduced Adjutant General Wedgewood.

Mr. Wedgewood spoke strongly in favor of compulsory drilling and spoke along the lines of the value of the disciplined men to the community, declaring that the man who had been trained to rigid discipline knew how to obey constituted authority and was the best citizen. He also said that cadet drilling did not encourage militarism and that the cadets are no more keen to enter the army than are other boys. Continuing, Mr. Wedgewood said that a boy having had military training has more confidence in himself, makes a better appearance and stands a better chance of making good in the world than one who has not.

Principal Eaton of the Salt Lake high school was the next speaker and also favored the compulsory drill. He told of the system in vogue at the Salt Lake high school and said that from his observations of conditions in that institution, the boys were much benefited. The military training, he said, engendered a gentlemanliness and increased the standard of scholarship. He also stated that cadet training was pre-eminently work in callisthenics.

Captain Webb, commandant of the Salt Lake high school cadets, presented the physical training side of the question, stating that the cadets unquestionably developed better physique than did the boys who did not participate in the drills.

Andrew A. Kerr, of the Ogden high school faculty, presented a strong argument in opposition to the establishment of compulsory military drill at the school. In his talk, he gave a number of instances where it had failed and conditions under which it had been conducted in previous years. Eugene A. Battell also spoke strongly against the institution of the drill.

When the meeting was thrown open for discussion Mr. Farr took the floor. He made a scathing denunciation of militarism, and said, if you want to train a chauffeur you give him the wheel of an auto and the eye and hand soon work in harmony to avoid danger. He declared that the drill with the gun was preparation for murder.

Mr. Battell said he did not blame the military men for advocating militarism—it was their trade—but it was the limit when educators did. On a different field, no doubt, the military men would put him and the previous speaker in a bull pen as socialists. War has been said to be the sport of kings, but behind the nominal rulers of Europe and America was the capitalist class. Lacking goods was the only cause of the war, he could see. Almost without exceptions people refused to see or disclose the "specific germ" of war—the exploitation of the workers for less than the full value of their labor. The surplus went to the capitalist class and made war possible. Later Mr. Battell rose to answer a question, saying the children under consideration are largely children of the working class and the military drill movement was an attempt to so organize them that they would shoot down their fathers and brothers on strike. He then got well along in a discussion of the relative merits of German, American and Italian socialist movements when a gentleman rose to a point of order and believing the question before the house exhausted, he quit.

Mr. Dawson, a student, was against military drill and Mr. Lochhead and DeVeto, students, were for the drill. Mrs. Kate Hillard gave a brief talk confining her remarks to the question as fostering militarism and asked the question, "Why not give the boys sticks and let them drill in civilian clothes?"

Supt. J. M. Mills gave an analysis of the present situation and said that nothing could be done in the matter until all of the parents whose boys would be affected could give their opinions.

Several students also spoke favoring the drill, but it is said that among the lower classes it does not meet with favor.

THEATERS

GREAT PHOTOPLAY COMES TO THE OGDEN THEATRE TONIGHT
The story of Naass, Eskimo chief in Akatan, of his love for Unga, of her abduction by Axel Gunderson, and of Naass' search for them, his journeyings in far lands and the spirit

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which overcame all suffering and obstacles is thrillingly told in the great six-reel Jack London masterpiece which will be presented at the Ogden theatre tonight, tomorrow and Saturday.

To Cal Galbraith's cabin in the Klondike, one winter night, comes a starving, frost bitten figure. He recognizes it as Naass, an Eskimo dog-driver, to whom he had lent gold so that he might buy release from the service, and who thereupon had left on a prospecting trip with Axel Gunderson and his wife, many weeks before.

As Naass tells Cal his story, we see the feud in the Eskimo village between the descendants of the two shipwrecked sailors, which terminates at the wedding potluck of the last of the two lines, Naass and Unga. Axel, a sea captain, comes to the village and carries Unga off to his ship.

Remembering only the appeal in her eyes when he last saw her, Naass follows them as best he can from city to city, till a clue leads him to the sealing grounds. There he is captured by Russians in waters forbidden to sealers, and sent to Siberia. Undaunted, he escapes and makes his way back through Alaska to San Francisco. There he learns that Axel and Unga had left the day before for the Klondike. With a bait to trap Axel with, in the shape of a map leading to a wonderful mine in the unknown mountains of the interior of that country, given him by a dying prospector, he starts out again.

At Dawson the long search is ended; but they do not remember him, and he easily persuades them to go with him in search of the mine. The Odyssey is over, the never-forgotten appeal in Unga's eyes will now be answered. He destroys the caches for the return trip, kills the dogs and watches with exultation of the just avenger, Axel's slow death from starvation and frost. Then when death comes to Axel and he is very near himself and Unga, he reveals his identity. (Advertisement.)

Anita Stewart & Earle Williams in "Midst Woodland Shadows—at the Isis.—Advertisement.

TRIBUTE PAID TO THE LATE JOHN F. SMITH

Editor Standard: Let me forget. Today my friend John F. Smith was laid in the grave, returned to Mother Earth, from whence we all spring. And I turned away from the little mound of earth that marked his resting place. Further than that I do not know. Conjecture, in my mind, began where physical facts ended and I wondered, "Is this the end?" But only yesterday I was with him, talked with him, drank with him and enjoyed association with one I loved and respected. "Is this the end, after all?" And I wonder still, if it were possible for us to look back into the Great Beyond, to pierce the veil that hides the endless years to come, if it is all only dust and ashes. Be that as it may, we still have the memories and knowledge of the past to cherish and revere in the lives of those dear to us.

"John Smith." Not much of a name, is it? And still it has a whole, some, honest sound to it, and I suppose he came by it honestly, as a number of years of his life were spent in the occupation of blacksmithing, and in his time he was reckoned good. It was the calling from which the first Smith of all the Smiths derived his name. We knew him as a kind and square and honest man, loyal to a friend, true to his obligations, a kind heart and a generous hand. One who paraded not his good deeds and charities, of which, methinks, many a person in Ogden could tell.

As far as able, he was ever ready to aid those in distress. For instance, today, while passing over the street, I met a newsboy who had seen me with him often and the little fellow said to me: "Is your friend dead?" I told him it was true and he replied: "Gee, if I tell my mother that, she would cry all night." And when I asked him why, he answered: "We knew him. We used to live in one of his houses and when we could not pay the rent he would tell mother to never mind and that it is all right."

I doubt not but that many a person in Ogden could tell a similar story of aid tendered in time of distress. I have been the recipient of his voluntary aid in trouble and when offered compensation he refused it. I know of many instances of his generous assistance to those in need, abundant to prove his true character as kind and generous.

For several years past he had suffered from a malady that, while not always confining, was always with him, and at times caused him excruciating and almost unbearable pain and suffering. I often wondered how he could carry such a burden and still be so courteous and good natured. I know it would have made a crank of me.

A short time ago I went with him to the cemetery, with nothing understanding his suffering and other obligations, he found time to place flowers on the grave of a child he had adopted and whom he tried to raise in a way he thought was right. As I observed with what care and loving hands he arranged tributes on the little mound, I thought again that he must be a good man. But little did either of us know how soon he would be beside the child in that lovely spot in the cemetery.

And so I can but conclude that, irrespective of his environments, his business or whatever creed or religion, he was a good man; a true and loyal friend, true to his obligations, square with his fellow man, ever ready to aid those in distress. What more could we ask? What more have we a right to demand? And if his creator demanded more of him, that is between him and his Maker and not for us to judge.

(Signed) AL. CLARKE.

Read the Classified Ads.

HORSE RACING AT THE FAIR GROUNDS IS NOW ON

A three-day horse racing tournament was opened this afternoon at the Fair Grounds and a program of two running and two harness races is being carried out. The tournament will continue tomorrow and Saturday afternoons, and a fine lineup of racing stock will be seen in action. The program for tomorrow afternoon, beginning at 1:30 o'clock, will be as follows:

First race, 2:20 pace, purse \$250. The horses entered for this event are Utah Pointer, Jennie Fitzsimmons, Josie Knight, Sonoma Maid and C. Direct.

Second race, special trot and pace for named horses; purse \$200. The entries for this event are Blanch Fitzsimmons, Udgare, George Patch, Silver Dollar, Nit McGreggor and Lord Holt.

There will also be a running race, for which a purse of \$175 has been hung up. The entry list for this race has not yet been announced, but from reports, an interesting contest of speed and riding is assured.

Specialist Explains Cause of Stomach Trouble

VALUABLE ADVICE TO SUFFERERS
"There are many different forms of stomach trouble," said a well-known specialist recently, "but practically all are traceable to excessive acidity and food fermentation. This is why the results obtained from the use of drugs are usually so disappointing. Admitting fermentation and consequent acidity of the food contents to be the underlying cause of most forms of indigestion, it naturally follows that the use of a reliable antacid, such as the pure bismuted magnesia which is so frequently prescribed by physicians, will produce better results than any known drug or combination of drugs. Accordingly I almost invariably advise these to our complainants of digestive trouble to get some bismuted magnesia (note the name carefully, as other forms are unsuitable for this purpose) from their druggist, and take from one to two teaspoonfuls of the powder, or two 5 grain compressed tablets, with a little water after meals. This by immediately neutralizing the acid and stopping the fermentation, removes the cause of all the trouble and insures normal and healthy digestion." Sold by A. R. McIntyre Drug Co.—Advertisement.

PEACE PARADE AND DEMONSTRATION OCTOBER 23

A joint meeting of committees from the different women's clubs of the city was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. T. Lynch, president of the Child Culture club, for the purpose of considering a plan for a general demonstration in the interest of international peace. After the question had been thoroughly discussed, the committees decided that their organizations should foster a great peace demonstration and that it should take place on Friday, October 23. The general feeling at the meeting was that the Ogden public would desire to fully demonstrate their opposition to war, and for this reason, it was decided to confine the event to open-air meetings.

The committees are to arrange a monster parade, in which the members of all of the local women's clubs are expected to participate and all other women are invited to do so. The time of formation for the parade and the definite line of march will be announced, but it is thought that the paraders will march through the business district of the city and then to Lester park, where a mass meeting will be held.

At this meeting a number of prominent men and women will make speeches and musical numbers also will be arranged for.

Mrs. J. T. Lynch was made general chairman and will be assisted by a number of committees.

The bishops of the different wards throughout the city are asked to give notice Sunday morning; also the ministers of all denominations, and a cordial invitation is given to everyone to take part in the demonstration.

SOCIETY

ENTERTAINS FOR SISTER.

Mrs. Robert Purdie entertained Tuesday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. F. A. Sparks, of Rexburg, Idaho.

Those present were: Mesdames F. A. Sparks of Rexburg, Idaho, W. H. Mires, Emmert Emmertson, Arthur Mitchell, James Tuttle, Robert I. Moyes, Rae Francis, Thomas Harris, Orrville Rupp, Roland Jackson and Miss Emma Emmertson.

DONOVAN-PAUL.

Yesterday at 12:30 p. m. in the Episcopal parsonage in Salt Lake City, Miss Nona Donovan and Walter Paul of Ogden were married by the Reverend Mr. Reese. Both young people are well known in Ogden, where the bride has been employed as a telephone operator for the Mountain States Telephone & Telegraph company for several years. Mr. Paul is assistant bookkeeper for the Ogden City Waterworks department.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul will be at home in this city after October 22 in the Stevens apartments on Washington avenue.

PRETTY WEDDING SOLEMNIZED.

Last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ecklund a very pretty wedding was solemnized when Bishop W. O. Ridges spoke the impressive words, uniting in marriage Miss Jennie Ecklund and Robert T. Paine.

The Ecklund home was artistically decorated for the nuptial occasion



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with a profusion of autumn leaves, red and white roses and carnations.

The wedding march beautifully played by the bride's sister, Miss Hannah Ecklund, the bride party entered the parlor. The bride, daintily gowned in white chiffon with shadow lace overdress was attended by Miss Dora Paine, sister of the groom. Miss Paine as bridesmaid wore a pretty white chiffon gown with deep cream lace trimmings. Mr. Paine was accompanied by Mr. Otis Wardleigh as best man. Both were attired in conventional black suits.

Following the marriage ceremony, a most delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. S. H. Winters, a well-known local caterer. During the evening, vocal and instrumental musical selection were given by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ecklund, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Chatalein, Miss Hannah Ecklund and Harry Nashell.

After an extended honeymoon trip throughout California and the Pacific northwest, Mr. and Mrs. Paine will be at home to their friends in this city. They were accompanied on their trip by Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Taylor.

Both young people have a host of friends in this city and many exquisite gifts were tendered them.

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Deaths and Funerals

HERRICK—The funeral of Ray Eugene Herrick, the 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Herrick, was held yesterday at 4:15 p. m. in the Larkin chapel. Bishop M. B. Richardson of the Third ward presided and the speakers were Patriarch George W. Larkin, Gilbert Torgeson, John R. Horspool and Bishop Richardson. Special music was furnished by the Downes sisters and Lucille Williams. The interment was made in the city cemetery, the grave being dedicated by R. Ray Nixon.

BECK—Funeral services for Miss Lillian Beck will be held in the Episcopal church of the Good Shepherd tomorrow at 2 p. m., Reverend W. W. Fleetwood officiating. Remains may be viewed at the family home, 459 Twenty-second street this evening and tomorrow until 1 p. m. Interment will be made in Mountain View cemetery.

The Republican and Democratic Tariff Laws Compared

The "Protective Tariff Cyclopaedia" in abridged form has just been issued by The American Protective Tariff League, New York. The volume as issued consists of the Underwood and Payne-Aldrich Tariff Laws carefully compared, giving every rate duty on both laws and completely indexed. The book consists of one hundred and sixty pages. Price postpaid, One Dollar (\$1.00). Ask for Document No. 33 Address W. F. Wakeman, Sec. 339 Broadway, New York.—Advertisement.

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Front lace. The Ideal Corset for health, ventilation back. We have the right form for you, \$2.50 to \$5.

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